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Applicants: Julie A. Johnson

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The applicant requests that the period for response be extended one month through and including December 15, 2003. An Amendment under 37 C.F.R. 1.111 accompanies this Petition. Please charge the fee of \$55.00 to Deposit Account 19-0065.

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